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Dear Sir,

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I, Raymond Hesline, of Heslin Pty Ltd, 1/23 Monterey Road, Bilgola, New South Wales, Australia herein declare that I am the sole inventor of US Patent Number 5,864,428 and the sole inventor of US Patent Application Number 10/553,132.

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